



KELLY DOLAN LANGE

Kelly Dolan Lange was appointed by Governor Branstad on March 4, 2014, and began her term on May 1, 2014. Ms. Lange's appointment was confirmed by the Senate on April 1, 2014.

She graduated from East Buchanan High School in 1999 and the University of Iowa in 2003. She received her Master of Arts in Leadership in Student Affairs in 2005 from the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul, Minnesota. Ms. Lange started her career in higher education at the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul, Minnesota. She then transitioned into working as a staffer for United States Congressman John Kline of Minnesota, currently the Chairman of the Education Workforce Committee. Ms. Lange later transitioned back into higher education where she worked for Trinity University in Washington D.C. and most recently Hawkeye Community College in Waterloo, Iowa.

Ms. Lange currently serves on several committees for the Independence Community School District and is the youth choir director at St. Johns Church in Independence.

She is married to Ben and has three daughters Addison, Emelia, and Charlotte.